FHA Installs Officers

Red roses and white dresses signify that these girls are officers of the Senior Chapter of Future Homemakers of America for 1973-74.

Their candlelight installation service was held in the school auditorium during the regular meeting on Wed., May 9th.

The new officers, shown above from left to right, are Nancy Winston, Historian; Grace Ranson, re-elected Reporter; Debbie Morrell, First Vice-President; Merium Ferris, Parliamentarian; Kay Stratton, President; Gay Honeycutt, Secretary; Pam Chenault, Second Vice-President; Kathy O'Brien, Chaplian; and Darlene Forrest, Treasurer.

Thespian Society To Present "Caring For Karen"

"That's right", the Appomattox Intermediate School, Thespian Society, is at it again with a new play called, "Caring For Karen" by Mrs. Joyce Sweet and Miss Umberger.

The play is centered around an unfortunate girl who cannot find a date for the big prom. She is envirous of her two friends who seemed to have all the luck with boys. Then out of no where she becomes popular and ends up with a big problem of to many date.Unbelievable?? "Just wait and see."

We are sure you will enjoy this light-hearted comedy. Be sure to come May 25th, Friday night 7:30 p.m. at the AIS auditorium. Admission is 75¢ for adults 50¢ for students.

Part of the cast shown above, left to right, are Sharon Paulette, Beverly Harvey, Darlene Forest, Sandy Chambers, Bill Shorter, Herbert Pankey and Daryl Hudson.

Others in the cast include Carol Jones, Janice Gagreur, Joe Ford, and Tye Beasley and Mike Lewis.

29 First Graders Visit TIMES-VIRGINIAN

Twenty-nine first grade students from the Appomattox Primary School toured the **Times-Virginian** office on Thursday, May 10th. They were quite interested in the operations involving putting a newspaper together.

Shown in the picture above with the students are Mrs. Henritta Johnson, on the left, teacher; and Mrs. Barbara Caldwell, on the right, teacher aide.

National Honor Society Met At ACHS

The National Honor Society of Appomattox County High School met on May 9, 1973 at the school auditorium. president Joan Coleman called the meeting to order, and then Pam Chenault, Chaplain, led the club in devotions. The minutes of the last meeting were read by Pat Hudson and approved. There was no old business, but Joan brought up the fact that the tassels for the Senior honor students had been ordered for graduation.

The meeting was then devoted to the election of new officers for the 1973-74 school year. Joan Coleman gave the slate of officers drawn up by the nominating committee to the club. After hearing the names given by the nominating committee, the club nominated additional students and then voted to elect the following officers: President, Chris Gallier; Secretary, Michael Gallier; Vice President, Jane Conner; Treasurer, Linda Sullivan.

The Reporter and Chaplain were left vacant so that they could be filled by next year's new members. After the election, the new officers were installed by President Joan Coleman, and the meeting weas adjourned.

Rita Inge, Reporter

Checking

"I sent my little boy for 2 pounds of plums and he came home with only a pound and a half. Are you sure your scales are correct?"

"My scales are all right, madam. Have you weighed your little boy?"

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Colonel--You say you served with the Army in France?

Cook--Yes, sir, Officers' cook for two years and wounded twice.

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Homemaker Hints

By Rebecca M. Johnson, Extension Agent

Following is an article which I found in "Consumer Comments", a monthly newsletter of consumer education, published by the Virginia Department of Agriculture and Commerce. Since all of us are consumers, I think we should be aware of the laws that protect us which are included in this article.

The Intelligent Consumer
by Roy L. Farmer
Director of Consumer Affairs

The intelligent consumer will be most skeptical when dealing with out-of-state firms. He will, before buying or ordering a product, determine if the firm is a reputable one by contacting the Better Business Bureau in the area the firm is located. If the consumer doesn't know the name and address of the applicable out-of-state Better Business Bureau, he will call the local Better Business Bureau for the correct name and address.

If an out-of-state firm is represented by a salesman making a home solicitation sale, the intelligent consumer will determine what the salesman is selling; and if he doesn't want to buy it, he will not let the person come into his home. If the consumer is interested in buying the product the salesman is selling, he will get his correct name and address of the salesman and the company he represents.

The intelligent consumer will never sign a contract when he doesn't know what the provisions of the contract are. If the consumer is in doubt, he should say "no". If he is satisfied with the contract and wants to buy the product, he can sign the contract. He should never pay cash for a product in a home solicitation sale, and the check should always be written to the company, never to the salesman.

The consumer should keep in mind the fact that he has seventy-two hours to cancel the contract from the time of sale. The contract must be cancelled in writing.

The Home Solicitation Sales Act was amended in 1973 by the General Assembly, and the amendments go into effect on June 1, 1973. Then amendments are: if the contract is cancelled in a home solicitation sale within seventy-two hours of the time of sale, the seller may not keep a cancellation fee and he must pick up the merchandise within twenty days of the sale. It is the responsibility of the buyer to keep the product in good order until it is picked up by the company.

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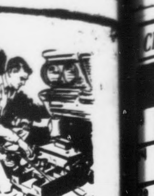

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News From Boys Scout Troop 546

After three years of dedicated and faithful service to the Boy Scouts in the Appomattox area, Floyd Flint, former Scout Master, has accepted a transfer and is now with the Defense Contracts Administration System in Montreal, Canada. He was formerly assigned to Babcock and Wilcox in Lynchburg.

Scout Master Neal Goldstein, who served with Flint as Assistant Scout Master, says that Flint really worked to build up the troop to be one of the finest in our entire area. Boys ages 11 and up are members of Troop 546.

Last week-end Troop 546, with Scout Master Neal Goldstein, attended a Spring Jamboree on Paul Graves Farm near Old Graves Mill Road in Lynchburg. Twenty-seven Boy Scouts from Troop 546 attended.

The program for the Jamboree was "Friendship Rally" and gave the boys a chance to form teams with members from other troops to compete in scouting skills.

On Saturday afternoon they had a Merit Badge Trail with experts in each field set up to assist scouts.

The highlight of the weekend was on Saturday evening at the Campfire ceremonies when a group, "Sing Out South", sang many songs for the group and led the troops in a sing-a-long.

Mark Martin and Lewis O'Brien, two boys from the Webloe Den, have recently moved up to Boy Scout Troop 546.

A camp-out at Holiday Lake is planned for the near future. Holiday Lake is a pet project of the troop and as a part of their SOAR project the boys plan to hike around the lake trail and clean-up the area. Connected also with the SOAR project, the scouts have put out houses for blue birds.

Neal Goldstein, Scout Master, is in need of some help with this fine group of scouts. If you can help out in any way please contact him - telephone 993-8859. Your assistance with this troop will be greatly appreciated and you will be helping scouts learn to grow into the men of tomorrow.

Too Much

A widely traveled sportsman was boring guests with a series of long talks about his exploits. "While I was wandering through this deserted village I spotted a leopard," he said.

"That does it," said one of his listeners. "I always knew he was a liar. Leopards come that way."

Wins In Tractor Operation

Gary Wisecarver, a member of the Rustburg Chapter of the Future Farmers of America, placed first in the annual Southside Area FFA Tractor Operating Contest at Appomattox, May 12. Gary is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wisecarver.

David Brunk, Liberty was runner-up. Third place went to Nathan Good of Halifax County Senior High School. Wisecarver will represent the fifteen-county Southside area in the state finals at VPI in June.

Taking part in the contest Saturday were the winners of six sub-area contest held earlier this year. The contest was directed by B. F. Sauls, instructor of agricultural education in the Appomattox Intermediate School.

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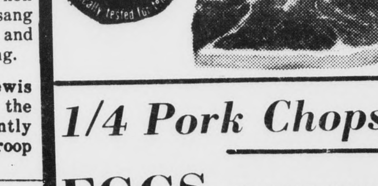

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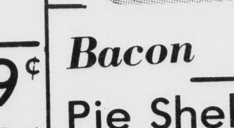

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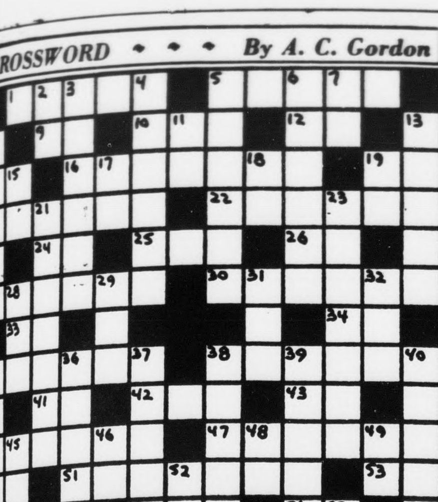

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58 - Historic British royal family
59 - Penetrate

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3 - Ogling
4 - Logical
5 - Ruler
6 - Scribe
7 - Public announcement
8 - Quantity of papers
11 - Sun god
13 - Chafes
15 - Silver (chem.)
17 - Like
18 - Either
19 - Preposition
21 - Ophthalmologist
23 - To state in details
28 - Corded fabric
29 - ... Baba
31 - Biblical priest
32 - Beverage
35 - French city
36 - Fostered
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ANSWERS TO PUZZLE ON PAGE 2

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...les D. Hill of Appomat- ...eceived the degree of ...r of Arts in University ...hmond commencement ...es yesterday.

...the son of Mr. and Mrs. ...es D. Hill of 203 ...reen Ave., concentrated ...nomics at Richmond ...of the University of ...ond.

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...ial hour will begin at 6 ...llowed by a dinner be- ...at 7 p.m.

...are a member of this ...and have not made reser- ..., you may contact Bill ...tt, Appomattox, Va.

Luncheon Planned For Retired Teachers

The Appomattox Chapter of Retired teachers will meet for a luncheon at Maude's Restaurant on Thursday, May 24th at 12:30 p.m. - (dutch treat).

Members are asked to notify Mrs. Florence Trent, phone 352-8013, or Mrs. Mildred Alvis, phone 352-5971, for reservations.

All retired teachers in the county are urged to attend.

INITIATED INTO PHI BETA KAPPA

One hundred twelve University of Virginia students have been initiated into Phi Beta Kappa, the national honorary fraternity recognizing scholastic excellence.

George E. Hughes, III, of Appomattox was among those initiated into Phi Beta Kappa, Class of 1973.

The students were initiated into the organization at ceremonies at which the society's Phi Beta Kappa Prize was presented to law professor John Norton Moore in recognition of his book "Law and the Indo-China War".

Appomattox Native - Busy Lady

Mrs. Shirley S. Gordon

Mrs. Shirley S. Gordon, a native of Appomattox, has recently been elected Secretary for the Hampton Education Association and Secretary for the District B, Hampton Education Association.

Mrs. Gordon, a graduate of Appomattox High School, received her BA Degree from Madison College and has done graduate work at the College of William and Mary. She has also been named a delegate to the National Education Association meeting to be held in Portland, Oregon in July of 1973.

A member of the National Education Association, the Virginia Education Association and the Hampton Education Association, she was a classroom teacher in Appomattox County for 3 years, in Fairfax County for 2 years, and has been in Hampton for the past 6 years.

The busy lady is Grade Chairman, 1969-1973; has served as Human Relations Representative from 1969-72; Credit Union Representative from 1968-72; Faculty Representative Alternate (Senate), 1967-69; Faculty Representative (Senate) 1969-73; Membership Committee, 1967-69; Political Action Committee, 1971-73 (serving as Chairman for one year); Salary Committee, 1971 - 72; Publications Committee, 1969-72; Handbook Chairman, 1970-72; Disciplinary Action Study Committee Chairman, 1971-72; Calendar Planning Committee, 1970-72 Executive Board, member-at-large, 1970-73; Elementary Teachers Committee, 1970-72; Program of Action, 1969-72; Delegate to V.E.A. Convention, 1969-73; and is also serving on the Unification Committee since 1972.

Married to Alfred "Ray" Gordon, also from Appomattox, they are the parents of two children, Mike, 11, and Les, who is 7 years old.

Mrs. Gordon is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Stanley, of Appomattox.

Mr. Clark Eversole, Principal at Captain John Smith School where Mrs. Gordon now teaches, is the son of Mrs. Caldwell Eversole of Appomattox.

This former native of our county has truly been and still is a busy lady.

Miss Bruce's 4-H

The regular monthly meeting of Miss Bruce's 4-H club met on Thursday, May 3, 1973. The president called the meeting to order and we then participated in the 4-H pledge and the pledge to the American flag. After this our song leaders led us in some songs. The meeting was then turned over to our agent, Mr. Smith. Mr. Smith took up our posters for "June is Diary Month." Upon completion of viewing a film the meeting was adjourned.

Randall Franklin, Reporter

6TH 4-H - PAMPLIN

The president called the meeting to order. We said the 4-H Pledge. The recreation leader lead us in a song - Fire, Fire, Fire. We played the game "I Spy" which you call out a color of something in the room then someone guesses where it is.

The secretary read the minutes of the last meeting. The president asked if there were any old or unfisnished business to come before the meeting. Mr. Sweet congratulated the ones who took part in Share-the Fun. He told us about 4-H dairy posters and 4-H camp which is a fun place for a kid 9-13.

Mr. Sweet said he wanted some of us to make an exhibit for the 5 County Fair Sept. 4-9.

The president turned the meeting over to Mr. Sweet. We got sheets about the dog show June 1, 7:30 p.m. at Appomattox County High School Football Field. He showed us a film on recent dog shows, to show us how to do it. he also showed us an example by using James as a dog and putting a leash and collar on him. There are different classes such as obedience, etc.

Reporter, Wiley Baldwin

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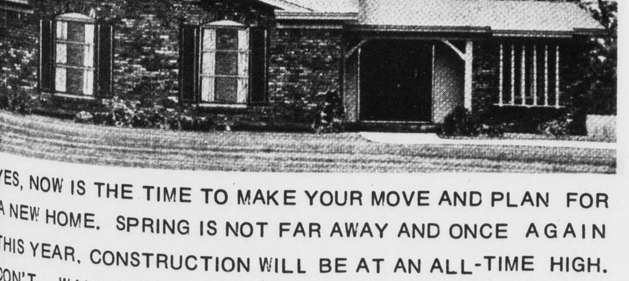

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